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**CORRECTION OF PATENT OFFICE'S
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The following are mistakes made by the U.S. Patent Office. The exact page and line number where the errors are shown correctly in the application file are given below.

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At (54), please replace the title "METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR FORMATTING INFORMATION WITHIN A DIRECTORY TREE STRUCTURE INTO AN ENCYCLOPEDIA-LIKE ENTRY" with – METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR FORMATTING INFORMATION WITHIN A DIRECTORY TREE STRUCTURE INTO AN ENCYCLOPEDIA-LIKE ENTRY –. The title is shown correctly in the originally filed application on March 6, 2001.

In the References Cited

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Andrew M. Liao, "Self-adjusting Data Structures: Use Self-adjusting Heuristics to Improve the Performance of your Applications", Dr. Dobbs's Journal, pgs. 1-9.

The reference (item AP) was considered by the Examiner on April 7, 2003, enclosed herein.

In the Claims

At column 30, line 17, Claim 4, please delete the second "the" so that the corresponding phrase reads – when the hierarchical search –. The phrase is shown correctly in the Office Action Response mailed on March 9, 2007, page 3, Claim 4.

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